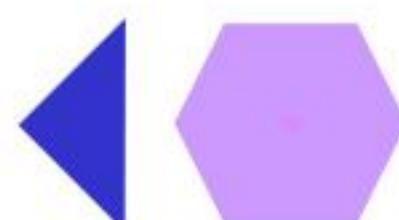


# Optional Home Exercise: Tools Corner



This is an **optional** exercise:

Prepare a presentation  
of one or more tools for  
developing and/or documenting  
architectures  
that you find particularly good  
and that you have  
practical experience with.



# Overview: A Good Architecture

An architecture consists of the

- **big building blocks** of the software and
- their **dependencies**.



Therefore, unsurprisingly, the quality of an architecture depends on the

- quality of the big building blocks
- quality of their dependencies.



Both will be examined closely in the rest of this text.

